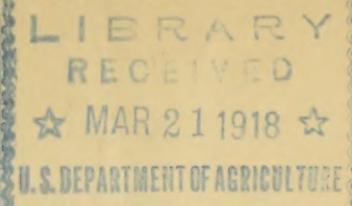


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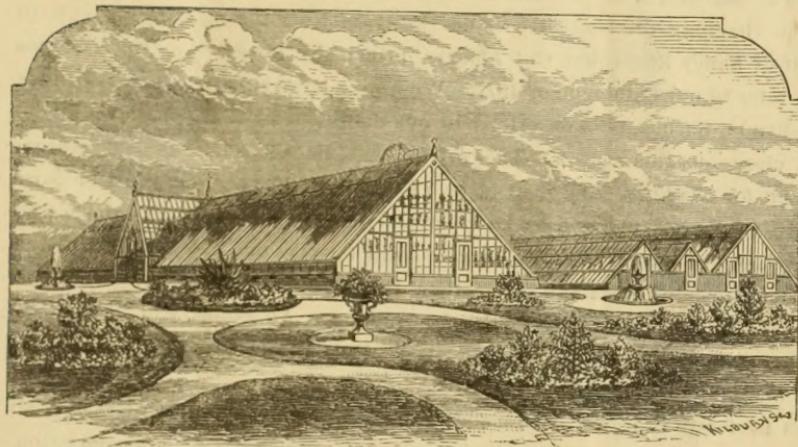
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TRADE CIRCULAR
OF
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OFFICE, 56 BROAD STREET,

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NOTICE.

WE shall not issue a retail Catalogue for the season of 1878. We have been changing the character of our business from the growth of Plants to that of Fancy Roses and *Cut Flowers*, principally Roses. For the varieties we refer to our Catalogue of 1877. We have a large stock of all the varieties of Plants, Shrubs, etc., described in our Catalogue of 1877, which we intend to close out this season. The prices will be the same as last season, *except for Novelties*. We shall make a discount of fifty per cent, both on Novelties in Rose Plants and on all other varieties of Novelties. To those who have not our 1877 Retail Catalogue, we will forward one upon application.

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Le Lilliput. A very dwarf, compact variety, with dark mauve-colored flowers.
Le Nain. Large, clear mauve flowers, with dark veins, shaded with orange.
Perle d'Or. Neat, compact growth; flowers clear canary-yellow.
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Price each, 25 cents, or \$2.00 per dozen. Set of four, 75 cents.

	Doz.
Begonia Digswelliana. Fine constant bloomer, rich deep pink, dark-green leaves.....	\$2 00
Begonia. New Hybrid Tuberose. Rooted, 18 varieties.....	3 50
Carnation. Wellesley Beauty. Cinnamon yellow, striped with carmine	1 50
Clematis. Forty-eight fine named varieties, strong plants. \$50 per hundred.....	7 00
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NEW DOUBLE-FLOWERED IVY-LEAVED GERANIUM.

PELARGONIUM LATERIPES KOING ALBERT.

This is a new departure in Ivy-leaved Geraniums; the flowers are double, of a bright violet-pink color, and of good shape. \$2.50 per dozen.

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P. Buek (Alegatierre). Plant vigorous and free-blooming; leaves slightly zoned; flowers large, nearly full; color violet-salmon, the first variety of this color in double geraniums. This splendid variety has been proved to be a first-class bedder, a most valuable acquisition, and well worthy a place in every collection.

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Madame Thibaut (*Lemoine*). Violet rose, petals marked with white at their base.

Venus (*Lemoine*). Flowers white; fine, large truss, with petals imbricated; extra. These extraordinarily fine kinds are last year's productions of the celebrated raisers, Messieurs Alegatierre, Jean Sisley, Lemoine, and Leon de St. Jean, whose names are associated with the finest of Zonale Geraniums at present in cultivation.

NEW SINGLE ZONALE PELARGONIUMS (GERANIUMS).

Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

John Salter (*Jean Sisley*). Flowers large, rose, flamed with orange at the centre, striped and veined upon the upper petals.

M. Ludwig (*Leon de St. Jean*). Very vigorous; leaves deep green, distinctly striped with yellowish green, forming a well-marked variegation; truss large; flowers scarlet red. This is a peculiarly novel and distinct variety as regards the foliage, and is likely to become valuable amongst the bedding bi-colors or bronze section.

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Freund Ebbe. Bright carmine, with dark veins and spots; very rich and attractive.

Hofgartner Kellerman. A round, close flower; the upper petals of a dark, fiery carmine-red color, with strongly marked dark spots and veins; the under petals light carmine, lightly veined.

Hofgartner Huber. A fine round flower; the upper petals rosy-purple, darkly spotted and veined; the under petals rosy-carmine, with light veins.

Hofgartner Braun. A beautiful flower, of a very fine carmine color, with intensely dark veins and spots.

Madame Glevitzky. A magnificent flower; upper petals of a fine vermillion color, veined and spotted with purple, under petals light vermillion.

Oberburgermeister Heine. A rich velvety-crimson, very darkly spotted; a splendid flower.

Each, 50 cents; \$3.00 per dozen; price for the set of six, \$2.00.

NEW AND CHOICE BRONZE, GOLD, AND SHADeD YELLOW PELARGONIUMS.

Arbaces. This variety has fine golden-yellow foliage, richly zoned with dark bronze, and produces bright deep-scarlet flowers, of good form and size.

Capella. Pale yellow ground color, with a very bright bronzy-crimson zone; very rich and attractive.

Epirus. A very fine variety; ground color of leaves, pale greenish-yellow, ornamented with a very dark and broad bronze zone.

Fides. This distinct and effective variety has leaves with deep golden disk, attractively banded with a rich bronzy-crimson zone, and margined with pale yellow.

Maritana. A richly colored variety, deep golden leaf centre, surrounded with dark chocolate-bronze zone, and margined with yellow.

Parthenope. A neat and attractive variety, small yellow leaf disk, broad and distinct dark bronzy-crimson zone, narrow yellow margin.

Price of each, 50 cents.

NEW AND CHOICE BEDDING AND SOFT-WOODED PLANTS.

Bouvardia Candidissima. One of the finest of the white-flowered group, of neat, open, shrub-like habit. Its peculiar divergent style of growth displays its numerous terminal racemes of pure white trumpet-shaped blossoms to great advantage.

Bouvardia Maiden Blush. This desirable variety is of neat habit and a profuse bloomer; the flowers are of a bright blush pink color; very distinct and effective.

Bouvardia Queen of Roses. A pretty variety, producing large clusters of bright rosy-pink fragrant blossoms.

Bouvardia Umbellata Alba. A handsome hybrid, intermediate between *B. Hogarth* and *B. Jasminoides*; of free, well-branched habit. The flowers are produced in terminal and axillary compact clusters, the terminal ones much larger; the flower-tubes cream-tinted, with broad, pure white lobes.

Bouvardia Umbellata Carnea. The flowers of this variety are very fragrant, clear cream-white, changing to a delicate rosy-blush color.

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NEW AND CHOICE DOUBLE-FLOWERED ZONALE PELARGONIUMS, 1878.

Beauté Frappante, a dwarf-growing and abundant-blooming variety, producing fine large trusses of pretty white flowers, with large salmon centre.

Brigade, rich, deep scarlet; fine large flowers, produced in immense trusses.

Calmar, deep scarlet; a fine, showy flower.

Comet. This is one of the brightest and most dazzling scarlet flowers in the double section; the trusses are large and of good shape, and the individual flowers very full, double, and well formed.

Ferdinand d'Aragon. Fine double flowers, with undulated petals of a salmon-orange color, sometimes marked with white; dwarf and free flowering.

Guillion Maugilli. Immense truss of large, double flowers of a beautiful dark crimson color, the upper petals strongly marked with scarlet; very distinct and beautiful.

Hesppeurs. Rosy carmine; a most attractive shade of color; very bright and fresh-looking. The flowers are of good size, full, and of excellent form, expanding nicely.

Laura, an attractive flower, of a light, rosy pink color.

Madam Thibaut (Rendatier). Dwarf, and free-blooming; large flower; ground color, pale rose, shaded with lilac violet; the edges of the petals tinted carmine; unique and attractive.

Marie Bertier. A distinct and beautiful variety, of dwarf habit, freely producing flowers of a fresh satin flesh color, clearer towards the edge, and tinted with rosy white.

Probus. A strikingly showy variety, freely producing immense trusses of fine, large, bright scarlet flowers, full, double, and of excellent form.

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The same grown in 3-inch pots. A.....		6 00	
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Heliotropes.	5 00
Hibiscus.	Three sorts	6 00
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Pansies.	A very fine collection; best large flowering plants.....	5 00

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